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SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

PROGRAMME OF DEPARTURES.

Vessel	Tons	H.P.	Captain.	FRIDAY.
L. Indus	3462	800	W. E. Breeze	10th Oct.
M. Hydaspes	2984	500	G. Scrivener	17th "
L. Rome	5013	1000	G. F. Cates	24th "
— Nizam	2726	500	G. W. Atkinson	31st "
L. Shannon	4148	800	J. S. Murray	7th Nov.
M. Assam	3038	500	S. F. Cole	14th "
L. Cathay	2982	501	T. Fairclough	21st "
— Lombardy	2720	960	W. E. Thompson	28th "

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London via Malta, and those marked M via Marseilles. By the others passengers are landed at London Quay, Suez. All London steamers call at Plymouth.

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 9 a.m. on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, AND AUSTRALIA.

Vessel	Tons.	H.P.	Destination.	On	1884.
ROSETTA	2501	1600	S. W. Brady	29th	Oct.
MASSILIA	2501	1600	D. Stuart	31st	"
SUTLEJ	4190	800	J. Coleman	14th	Nov.

Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports. For particulars of which apply to

G. F. JOHNSON,
Acting Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, Oct. , 1884.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

BRINDISI ROUTE.

THROUGH TICKETS from BOMBAY to LONDON via Brindisi, including the Continental Railway Fare, are now issued at reasonable terms, and return tickets available for three and six months. Tickets can also be obtained which allow passengers to travel 1st class by the steamer and 2nd class by rail from Brindisi to London.

MARSEILLES ROUTE.

STEAMERS leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES and LONDON once every four weeks (see general advertisement), and average to the former port is accomplished in 19 days in fair weather (21 days during the Monsoon). The journey from Marseilles to London occupies about 60 hours.

Fares to London, by the sea route or via Marseilles, including the Railway Fare across the Continent:—First Class Rs. 650. Second Class Rs. 370.

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G. F. JOHNSON,
Acting Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co.

Bombay, Oct. 3, 1884.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA.

SOCIETA RIUNITE FLORIO E RUBATTINO.

THE Regular Mail Steamers leave BOMBAY on the 1st of each month, at noon, calling at ADEN, PORT SUEZ, MESSINA, NAPLES, GENOA, and MARSEILLES, starting from GENOA on the 25th of every month for BOMBAY.

FARES to all Ports of Italy and Marseilles:—Rs. 360, Rs. 340, Rs. 150, for First, Second, and Third Class respectively, inclusive of Wine. Infants are allowed free. Children, over three and under ten years, half fare. Families will be allowed liberal discount.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON, FREE OF CHARGE, to a certain extent allowed in the Handbooks.

A discount of 25, 20, and 15 per cent is allowed to Passengers returning within three, six, or twelve months respectively from the date of LANDING.

The following or other First Class Steamers will leave Bombay:—

	Tons.	H.P.		
MANILA	5,000	750	on 25th	Inst. Nov.
ABYSSINIA	3,500	600	" 1st	Inst. Dec.

Steam Launch leaves Apollo Bunder 1 hour before p.m. on the day of Sailing, with Passengers and heavy Baggage.

Through Railway Tickets available for 17 days, to London via Calais or Brighton, both from Genoa and Naples, are issued here.

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Bagnoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, Sept. 1, 1884.

CIE. NATIONALE DE NAVIGATION.

REGULAR MONTHLY STEAMERS TO MARSEILLES.

THE new first class steamer CANTON, 2,700 tons register, 450 horse-power, will LEAVE BOMBAY for MARSEILLES direct on the 20th October. She carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

RATES OF PASSAGE:

First class to Marseilles, Rs. 500, including wines.
Children under 3 years, free. Under 10 half fare.
The Railway fares from Marseilles to London are as follows:—
Via Calais and Dover (Mail).....First class 7 8 9
Via Modane.....First class 5 13 9
Passengers' heavy luggage will be delivered in London free of charge to the extent allowed by the passage tickets.
For further particulars, apply to

RALLI BROTHERS, Agents.

Bombay, 20th June, 1884.

ANCHOR LINE

INDIAN SERVICE, BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.

THE following are the probable sailings:—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.

Name.	Tons.	H.P.	Commdr.	Sailing about
s.s. CALIFORNIA	3800	150	H. S. Yorke	25th Oct.
s.s. BERNARIA	4005	1060	D. G. Rigby	15th Nov.
s.s. NUBIA	3953	450	T. H. Rutson	To follow.
s.s. PERSIA	4550	600	R. Hutcheon	do.

To be followed by other 1st class steamers at regular intervals.

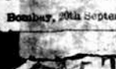
For the convenience of Indian passengers an Agency has been opened at 8, Regent St., London, S.W.

For rates of passage and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 20th September, 1884.

CITY LINE.



THE first class steamer CITY OF VENICE, 2,500 tons, will sail for Liverpool on or about 15th October. Carries a Surgeon and Stewardess. Two Berth Cabins, Baths, Punkhas, &c., will every comfort for passengers.

This vessel is well known as a favourite passenger ship from Calcutta, and has very superior accommodation for a large number of first class passengers. Others taken.

For further particulars apply to

SIR CHARLES FORBES & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 24th Sept., 1884.

CITY LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE following are the probable sailings, Bombay to either Liverpool or London:—

	Tons.	Comdr.	Sailings about
S.S. City of Venice	3256	H. Y. Miall	15th Oct.
S.S. City of Manchester	3123	A. Macdaid	15th Nov.
S.S. City of Carthage	3300	D. McPherson	15th Dec.

For rates of passage and further particulars apply to

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Agents.

Bombay, 5th Sept., 1884.

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SOLE CONTRACTORS TO H. M. GOVERNMENT IN INDIA FOR THE SUPPLY OF BLANKETS TO BRITISH TROOPS.

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Price Lists and Samples may be had on application to

THE MANAGER.

SOUTHERN MARATTA RAILWAYS.

NOTICE.

ON MONDAY, 6th October, CHANGES will be made in the train service between HOTGI and GADAG as under, viz.:—

One mixed train will leave Hotgi for Gadag at 5-15 a.m. instead of at 6-40 a.m.; and will arrive at Gadag at 9-30 a.m. instead of 9-3 p.m.

One Down mixed train will leave Gadag at 6-15 a.m. instead of 6-35 a.m.; and will arrive at Hotgi at the same time as at present, viz., 7-20 p.m.

For further particulars, see time and fare tables exhibited at stations.

JASRAIK,
Offic Manager.

Gadag, 1st October, 1884.

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Bombay, 1st October [illegible]

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S. S. "NERBUDDA," 2,977 tons, on WEDNESDAY, 8th October, 1884, at 5 p.m., calling at such ports as may be arranged. Particulars can be ascertained on application to the undersigned.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. "SIMLA," 1,615 tons, on MONDAY, 13th October, 1884, at 11 a.m., calling at Kurrachee, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao and Bussrah, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR AND MOZAMBIQUE.

S. S. "BAGHDAD," 1,271 Tons, on 9th October, 1884.

FOR KURRACHEE AND KATTYWAR COAST.

S. S. "EUPHRATES," 803 tons, on WEDNESDAY, 8th October, 1884, at noon, calling (weather permitting) at Veraval, Mangarole, Porebunder, and Cutch Mandavie.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 2nd October, 1884. Agents.

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CHEROOTS	"Selected Mess" per Box of 100		2	0
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"	"Beehive"	" "	2	0
"	"Kemp's Special"	" "	2	8
	MANILLAS.			
No. 2 Cigars of selected brand		" "	7	0
No. 2 Cheroots of selected brand		" "	7	0

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BOMBAY AND POONA

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Lifts exceeding 30 cwt. will be delivered into consignees' boats, and if not alongside in time, will be landed or placed in boats at steamer's option at their risk and expenses.

EDWARD BATES & CO.

Bombay, 7th October, 1884.

TO LET, from 1st November, 1884, BUNGALOW No. 110 at Falkland Road, at a monthly rent of Rs. 35. Applications from Government Servants to occupy it will be received in the Office of the undersigned until the 25th instant.

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Bombay, 7th October, 1884.

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10	The Hermitage	500
11	Red Lands	300
12	Rugby Lodge	300
15	Stone Henge	400
22	The Chalet	400
23	Rose Cottage	500
26	Forest Lodge	500
28	The Bee Hive	300
29	Ecart Lodge	300
32	The Keepsake	150
34	Woodlands	300
36	Coxon's Bungalow	300
38	Maria Cottage	400
46	Springwood	400
47	Hill House	400
48	Cairnmore	300
52	The Folly	400
55	Carrera House	400
61	Bella Vista	300
73	Florence Lodge	300
83	Fernwood	300
84	Barr Cottage	300
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TREACHER'S GLENLIVET WHISKY,
Cash Rs. 22-8 per Dozen.

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BOMBAY, BYCULLA AND POONA.

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Portable Achromatic Field Glasses	" 17-8
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COOPER, MADON & CO., LIMITED,

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 7.

CONSOLS in London and French Rentes in Paris were both ⅛ lower yesterday at 101 and 109 respectively, but Indian Loans, both sterling and rupee, were unaltered.

In the general produce markets no movements are reported.

Cotton in Liverpool yesterday closed firm, the day's sales being estimated at 12,000 bales, including 1,500 Surats. Prices on the spot are unaltered, but Americans to arrive are quoted 1-64d. higher. In New York ready Mid-Uplands remain at 10¼ cents, but futures are 8 points lower at 10·28 cents. per lb. for February shipment. The receipts at the U. S. ports to date are as follows :—

	1884	1883	1882
Two days' Receipts	43,000	49,000	50,000
Three days' do.	67,000	78,000	71,000
Total since 1st Sept.	490,000	557,000	544,000

Private advices from home to-day are slightly easier in tone owing to the China news and to the free selling of Americans. The latter feature is reported to be entirely due to the absence of financial power to hold amongst the planters, and is in no way an index of the probable outturn of the crop estimate, of which generally range from 6 to 6½ millions of bales, although some authorities talk of only 5¾.

The market here to-day has been very quiet. Some little business is passing in old Dholleras on the basis of Rs. 180 to Rs. 181 for so-called good, but first-class selection is at least Rs. 1 higher. In new Cotton, Bengals are the only description meeting with anything like an enquiry, but a difference of about Rs. 2 per candy separates buyers and sellers, the former offering Rs. 145 and the latter asking Rs. 147 for good. The higher grades are being enquired for, but sellers decline to make contracts for anything better than "fully good," the late rains having done serious damage to the crops. Broach to-day we quote at Rs. 214, Omra at Rs. 185 for March, good.

SEEDS AND WHEAT remain dull and next to nothing doing.

FREIGHTS show no improvement as [illegible] rates go, but there is more cargo booking for [illegible] month's shipment, which renders the mark[illegible] trifle steadier.

IMPORTS.—Piece-goods are fairly steady, [illegible] dealers are beginning to restrict their opera[illegible] in anticipation of the Dewali. Yarns are [illegible] particularly local spinnings, for which the enqu[illegible] is most restricted. Coals continue to tend [illegible] wards, sellers of forward shipment being quite [illegible] of the market.

EXCHANGE.—Sterling has ruled very stea[illegible] although quotations are unaltered in every [illegible] spect. Reuter now quotes Bar Silver in Lond[illegible] at 50¾d. per oz., but this we had from privat[illegible] sources a week ago. The London money market also tends firmer, so that there are some points in the position in favour of stiffer exchange, notwithstanding the depressed state of trade here. We quote for ready bills :—

Bank Bills on demand	1s. 7 9-16d.	per rupee.
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 7d.	"
Do. 3 months sight	1s. 7 11-16d.	"
Credits 3 "	1s. 7d.	"
France 3 "	208¼.	"

GOVERNMENT PAPER is steady at Rs. 99½ for Fours and Rs. 102⅝ for Fours-and-a-half.

SHARES.—Spinning and Weaving mill shares are fairly firm all things considered. Anglo-Indians have improved to Rs. 116, Manockjee Petit to Rs. 1,190, Mahalukshimi to Rs. 840, Great Eastern to Rs. 960, Orientals to Rs. 565. Empress are rather easier at Rs. 790. Colaba Land and Mill shares have advanced to Rs. 750, Albert Press Co. of Kurrachee to Rs. 1,225, and Prince of Wales's Press to Rs. 640. Bombay Burmah Trading Co. new shares are up to Rs. 1,000.

BOMBAY BILLAND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rate.
INDIAN BANKS.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	14 p.ct.	761½
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	1 do.	850
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	5 do.	630
EXCHANGE BANKS.	£	£			
Agra Bank	10,000	100	all	6 do.	118
Hong. and Shang. B. Corporation	60,000	£125	all	17½ do.	£50
National Bank of India	37,320	£ 250	12½	5 do.	99

LAND COMPANIES.

Colaba Land & Mill Co.	4,000	700	700	Rs. 30	750xd
Port Canning Co.	6,000	1,000	1,000	" 14	320 xd

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

G.I.P. Railway Consolidated Stock	..	£20	218-3-0	5 p.ct.	350
Do. New £20 shares	..	£20	130-14-6	do.	585
Ditto	..	£20	65-7-3	do.	
Ditto	..	£20	21-13-1	do.	
B. B. & C. I. Ry. Co.	..	£100	1,000	do.	617
Do. New Shares	41	£41	6-3-0	do.	50

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	800	1,000	000	90	1,425
Albert Edward Cotton Mills Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500	18‡	540
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	100	100	5	116
Alfred Manf'g. Co.	1,000	500	500	17½ p.a.	490
AllianceCotton & Silk Manuf'g. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	..	Rs. 30	760
Bhownuggur Mills	4,800	100	100	"	30
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	960
BudruddeenMfg.Co.,Ld.	1,000	..	500	"	240
Central India S. & W. Company	2,500	500	5 0	Rs. 30	690
Connaught Mills	810	500	100	..	155
Cooria Mills	800	50	1,000	Rs. 30	700
D. Spinning	000	2,000	all	nil	407½
Empress S. & W. Co.	136	500	all	Rs. 37½	790
Framji Petit Mfg. Co.	1,400	500	5 00	" 25	710
Golam Baba S. Co.	000	500	5 00	" 20	510
Gordon Mills	000	1,000	1,000	"	300
Hindustan	000	1,000	1,000	"	825
Hinguchar Mill Co.	000	500	500	" 60	700
HydrabadSpinning	000	500	1,000	Rs. 70	1,220
Impl.Cotton Mills	000	500	500	Rs. 20	530
Indian Manf'g Co.	000	500	all	..	325
James Greaves Mill	000	500	500	..	460
Jaffer Ali Spin. Co.	000	1,000	500	Rs. 55	550
Jewraz Bhalloo Co.	000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	1,192½
Khandeish	000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	775
Khatao Mills	000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	910 xd
[illegible]					129

DAILY IMPORTS.—OCTOBER 7.

FROM GLASGOW.

Clan Murray s- 125 kegs red read, Esmaljee Allibhoy.
City of Venice s—200 barrels roll sulphur, Mahomedally Lookmanjee ; 50 barrels tar, Adamjee Bhaljee.
California s—30 cases whiskey, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Clan Forbes s—4 quarter casks whiskey, Thomson and Taylor.
Victoria s—1 hogshead whiskey, Green and Read.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Clan Murray s—25 hogsheads ale, Sir Charles Forbes and Co.
City of Venice s—15 cases soap, S. A. Essoofbhoy and Co ; 6 bales casing paper, Dhurmsey Veljee ; 47 cases colours, Tyebally Chandabhoy ; 100 hogsheads beer, Dyan and Co.

FROM LONDON.

Venetia s—1 case German silver wire, John S. Elmore and Co.
Rosetta s—1 hogshead brandy, D. Nusserwanjee.
Ancona s—6 cases paper, M. A. M. Surufally.
Hydaspes s—11 packages paper, G. Claridge and Co.
Ethiopia s—5 cases claret, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Malwa s—2 cases soap, Hajee Tyab Hajee Aboo ; 11 cases varnish, T. M. Tazkhan ; 16 cases colors, Volka Brothers ; 40 boxes brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer and Sons ; 50 cases champagne, the Bombay Club.
City of Venice s—19 cases ink, 1 case litho varnish, and cask antimony, M. A. M. Surufally.

FROM MARSEILLES.

Colombo s—50 boxes brandy, Jamsetjee Nowrojee.

FROM ANTWERP.

Yeddo s—6 cases feeding bottles, Essoofally Sumsooddeen and Co ; 100 kegs white lead, Hormusjee Ruttonjee and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—OCTOBER 7.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Clan Murray s—250 cwts coir yarn, Purshotum Dewjee ; 105 bales rags, Premjee Ookerda ; 45 bales wool, Veljee Soondarjee ; 1,600 cwts wheat, Benn, Ashburner and Co ; 142 bales cotton, Mottilall Balkisondas.
City of Venice s—1,200 cwts bones, Fuckeer Mahomed Vully Mahomed.

FOR LONDON.

Clan Ogilvie s—16 [illegible] ; Kunal Gangjee and Co ; 7 bales [illegible] ; 674 [illegible] ; bales [illegible]

THE FRIEND

have consented to [illegible] THAKERSEY MOOLJEE [illegible] it convenient to call [illegible] their votes in his [illegible] and 6 p.m. to-day.

SASSOON JA[illegible]

43, Rampart-ro[illegible]

pox augmented the mortality of the year by at least one per thousand, and so far as this was the result—as Dr. Hewlett appears to think that in part it was—of an absence of compulsory vaccination, this is an element for which the Municipality cannot, even in a remote degree, be held responsible.

The Report gives no prominence, moreover, to a fact which reflects no small credit upon the sanitary administration of the city—the fact that the mortality from fevers in Bombay last year was not only 3·39 per thousand below the mean for the last decennial period, but that with one solitary exception it was lower than that of any of the twenty-five districts in the Presidency. The fever mortality in Bombay was 7·47 per thousand, as against a mean for ten years of 10·86—an improvement for which it is difficult to find a parallel in Dr. Hewlett's tables. If, as the Report declares, "the one great cause of fever throughout India is the existence of dampness in an impure and foul surface and subsoil in inhabited areas," then it must be inferred that the great reduction in the mortality from fever in this city in recent years is the result of a sound sanitary policy, which has reduced the power of these unwholesome conditions. So, too, with regard to cholera. "The decreased mortality from cholera," Dr. Hewlett writes, "in Bombay and in other cities where a pure water-supply has been introduced is a convincing proof that it is the line of defence against cholera." [illegible] Dr. Hewlett scarcely does justice to the sanitary administration of Bombay in including it in what is very much like a "black-list." But the signal abatement in the amount of fever and of cholera in the city to which his report bears witness diminishes the significance of a classification which, unexplained, is anything but favourable to the city. One has, indeed, only to look carefully into the Report to find many admissions of a fact with which we are only too familiar in Bombay—the fact that many of the conditions with which the Municipality have to deal are out of reach of their control. It is not pleasant, for instance, to read of the sanitary condition of places in the immediate neighbourhood, between which and the city there is a constant going and coming. Of one town with ten thousand inhabitants one of the sanitary officials writes in these laconic but expressive terms :—"No water-supply, a doghole for a dispensary, and the town half scavenged ! This on the line of a most important communication with Bombay !" This is bad enough, but an adjacent town, on the same side, is said to be much worse. "No water-supply except a foul tank, and the condition of the town most filthy. Scavenging now neglected for want of money." And Dr. Hewlett appropriately remarks that there can be no doubt that the insanitary condition, not only of these, but of all the towns and villages in the immediate neighbourhood of Bombay, is a matter which must cause grave anxiety to the Municipal authorities of that city. The Government, indeed, have been so far impressed with what Dr. Hewlett has written on this subject, that in a recent Resolution they have asked the Municipal Commissioner to set forth his views on Dr. Hewlett's proposal to adopt special measures to ensure the sanitation of all villages and towns in the island of Salsette, as far as the Vehar and Tulsi lakes and their gathering grounds.

For obvious reasons we are bound to take interest, albeit of a by no means unselfish kind, in the sanitary condition of these places. We have seen what one witness, who had no special reason to look at them from the point of view of the interests of Bombay, thought of them in their relation to the sanitary welfare of this city. It may now be of advantage to have an opinion upon the subject, based exclusively upon considera[illegible]ting to the health of Bombay. Un[illegible]we in this city suffer from the [illegible]gs of our neighbours, at least as [illegible]om our own. This is the penalty [illegible] pay for our position as a com[illegible]d industrial centre, drawing to [illegible] people who live around, and [illegible]ple some of the worst results [illegible] conditions amidst which they [illegible] be something more than a [illegible] fact mention[illegible] by Dr. [illegible] Health Officer [illegible] during the [illegible] of 1883, that "a very large [illegible]ple attacked by cholera in [illegible]re are natives of Ratnagiri." [illegible]servation that village sanita[illegible]he bottom of effective sanitation [illegible]dency is intelligible enough, and [illegible] of it can be realized by no one better [illegible] those who have had to do with the [illegible]tation of towns. If it be from villages, as the Sanitary Commissioner says it is, that the great cholera epidemics spring up, we in Bombay are almost as much interested in the sanitary condition of these places as in that of the city itself. There is, indeed, a sense in which we can scarcely regard the outlying towns and villages as extra-municipal, though a good deal is to be said, on the ground of principle at any rate, against Dr. Hewlett's suggestion that the city of Bombay should pay the expense of maintaining a sanitary inspector in these places.

THE massacre of Colonel Stewart and his companions is as lamentable and discouraging an incident as could well have happened in the region of the Upper Nile just now. Wad-el-Homar, the scene of the occurrence, is not marked in the maps ; but it most probably lies between Berber and Dongola, inasmuch [illegible] which General Gordon [illegible] Peshin Railway, [illegible] read there was no doubt a good deal of sickness amongst them. Still this does not help our contemporary's argument, inasmuch as, at the very time, of their nearest neighbours half the strength of a Bengal sapper and miner company (entirely composed, curiously enough, of the "strong Pathans" with which the *Civil and Military Gazette* would replace the Madrasees) were in hospital ; while at Mangi, fourteen miles off, there was much sickness amongst Europeans and natives, not only of India, but of those districts. As regards Bombay troops, we do not know that those at Quetta are in worse health than the Sikhs. We can learn little, *pro* or *con*, as to the capabilities of men to withstand winter cold from their being attacked with fever in the heats of autumn ; but the Prince of Wales's Own Bombay Grenadiers at Kowas, 1,500 feet higher than Quetta, are experiencing greater variations of heat and cold than any other troops in the Quetta district, and yet they are the healthiest regiment in the district. Nearly half this regiment, by the way, forming Sir Robert Sandeman's escort on the Kharon and Panjgur missions, went from Quetta to the plains of Sind in November, thence up the Moola Pass in December to the Khelat hills, wandered in the hitherto unexplored deserts of Beluchistan during January and February, and reached Quetta again on the 20th March ; and this without a single casualty. So much for Bombay troops not being equal to the vicissitudes of the climate.

A NATIVE paper vents a good deal of indignation upon the eminent counsel who, when they have accepted a brief in a particular case, are not always able to appear at the moment it is called on. An incident of the sort occurred in the Bombay High Court last week, and this has been made the occasion for a somewhat over-virtuous protest against what after all is but a yielding to the inexorable necessities of time and work. The matter is one in which "purse-proud counsel," as our contemporary heavily names them, are not quite such free agents as the suitors themselves. The suitor has obvious reasons for choosing the counsel who is most in request, and having chosen a barrister who, because of his success or his talents, has more work than the majority of his learned brethren, he must take the consequence of having engaged a particularly busy man to plead for him. It may be said that this is paying for the mere chance of being represented by one of the leading men at the Bar. But even if that were so, the disappointed suitor would at least have to admit that he had had a free choice—and that he chose his advocate with his eyes open, and knowing well the uncertainties that attend the appearance of counsel whose services are eagerly sought after. A remedy is within the easy reach of those who complain. They may distribute their favours more evenly. The fact that they do not—that they prefer the uncertain services of the eminent few to the more certain advocacy of the less eminent many—estops them from complaining. And even supposing an extreme case—the case in which a barrister retained in an action is unable to make any appearance at all—the suitor does get something for his money. He at least makes sure that the eminent counsel whom he wishes to enlist for his own cause shall not appear on the other side. And that is, surely worth paying for.

THE ADEN COURT-MARTIAL.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ADEN, SEPT. 27.

THE officers from Bombay who are to assist at the court-martial to try Lieutenant Power for assaulting his commanding officer, Colonel Rennie, are expected by the incoming mail. They were originally booked by the Venetia, and preparations were being made for their reception on Quarantine Island, and their non-arrival was accounted for by the report that they were coming by the Kurrachee route. As eleven days must elapse after leaving Bombay, according to quarantine regulations, ere they can land at Aden, the days remaining to complete this number will have to be [illegible] Island or, as it is otherwise [illegible]arantine Island—as barren a rock as [illegible] ; not a vestige of anything green [illegible] The proportions of this island [illegible] level at the top, are about [illegible], the elevation being 50 feet. [illegible] portion of the town, from [illegible] 500 yards distant. At [illegible] by four unfortunates— [illegible] as their guardian. To-day [illegible] term prescribed, and will be [illegible]pear to have taken a philoso[illegible]r compulsory sojourn there, [illegible] its disadvantages, for the [illegible]g the day, and it is very [illegible] A gale blows after dusk [illegible]fficient to carry away the [illegible] quartet occupy. However, [illegible]ese disadvantages, every[illegible]render them as comfortable

[illegible] occurrence which has called for a [illegible]artial is a lamentable affair indeed. [illegible]me time past considerable ill-feeling [illegible] to have existed between Lieutenant [illegible] and his commanding officer, Colonel [illegible]e. The story goes that the former resented [illegible] what too warmly the exercise of what is [illegible]ed to be an arbitrary and domineering manner [illegible]n towards him by his superior officer ; and [illegible] he took the law into his own hands, proceeded [illegible]is colonel's quarters, and seizing him by the [illegible]t, inflicted corporal punishment accom[illegible]d by the remark, "I have submitted to [illegible] bullying long enough." Of course, it is difficult [illegible]stify such an act, though perhaps the evi[illegible] which will be elicited at the court-martial [illegible]how that there were extenuating circum[illegible]s. Lieutenant Power has retained Mr. Turner [illegible]nduct his case. Colonel McCausland will be [illegible]ent of the court.

[illegible] is possible that the military strength here [illegible]be augmented. A corps of native police is [illegible] organized, and a detachment of fifty has [illegible]nt to Berbers, a small town on the African [illegible] a distance of about fourteen hours' steam, [illegible]ntly vacated by the Egyptians.

NOTES FROM BELGAUM.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BELGAUM, OCT. 5.

[illegible] left wing of the 22nd Bombay Native [illegible] which has been stationed at Dharwar [illegible]rrival from Aden last cold weather, has [illegible]ed orders to join the head-quarters of [illegible]nt at Satara in the course of the [illegible]th. The wing will leave Dhar[illegible]th instant, marching through Belgaum [illegible] Prior to this move, a detachment [illegible] consisting of one company, under [illegible] native officer, will proceed from [illegible]e wing at Dharwar.

[illegible]derabad, our newly-appointed [illegible] to assume the command of the [illegible]ovember, when Colonel Smart, [illegible] his substantive appointment in [illegible]l Chambers, the popular com[illegible]24th N.I., has obtained sick leave [illegible]Newfort officiating for him.

CLOSE OF THE POONA SEASON.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Oc[illegible]

POONA, with its ordinary climate like the fi[illegible] days of English spring, has grown hot and sul[illegible] and dusty. The season is at an end, and great and small will soon be at the hills or in the districts. Memory of the past mirrors every kind of pleasure—balls, dinners, concerts, theatricals, fireworks, races, and shows. All have had enjoyment according to their particular taste except the little ones, and strange to say, throughout the season there has been no juvenile entertainment of any kind, which is certainly matter for regret. There is always a certain sadness about the last of anything, the last day of the holidays, the last day of a pleasant voyage or visit, and especially so if the last leaves an unsatisfied feeling. Our "last" season concert took place on Saturday at the Council Hall, in the presence of His Excellency the Governor and a fashionable though small audience. The distribution of prizes to the successful competitors of the Central Rifle Meeting by the Commander-in-Chief, and the close of the cricket match between the Calcutta and Poona Gymkhana, no doubt, had much to do with the poor attendance as regards the concert. The instrumental music was good, but the vocal portion, though by no means a failure, was not equal to arousing much enthusiasm. The concert opened with an overture (Hayden) by Auber, perfectly performed by the Governor's string band, conducted by Herr Zimmer. Then followed Pinsuti's "Creole Love-song," pleasantly sung by Mr. Hunt, though some hardly recognized the fine tenor that had delighted them so many times before. The hall is not a good one for sound, especially when so empty, and the open door behind the singer seemed to carry away his voice, rendering his task difficult, and the audience [illegible] Baldissonds. Audiences, however, at half-past [illegible] on a hot evening are always difficult to [illegible] please. Even such a favourite as Miss Waddington [illegible] was received in a half-hearted sort of [illegible] way, although she rendered Blumenthal's difficult so [illegible] "Across the far blue hills" with great taste [illegible] pathos, very little enthusiasm was awakened. [illegible] e open door was perhaps to blame. Anyhow there [illegible] was no encore, and the sweetly sung ballad that so[illegible] hoped to hear in response was hoped for in [illegible] in. The "Fantasie de Concert" with clarionet so[illegible] perfectly played by Sergeant Truscott and ac[illegible]panied at intervals by the Governor's band, [illegible]e much pleasure ; and the song which followed [illegible]ood's Ave Maria, beautifully rendered by Mrs. K[illegible]ascote and most perfectly accompanied by Mrs. O[illegible]on the harmonium and Miss Stewart on the violin, [illegible]s voted by many the piece of the evening, though [illegible] general appreciation was evidenced. The [illegible]olin solo from Beriot by Herr Zimmer was [illegible]ayed as only such artist can play. The well-m[illegible]ed encore was responded to by the Professor, [illegible] doubtless this [illegible] kindly consideration on his part[illegible] the programme was a long one. The duet between [illegible] Mrs. Kingscote and Dr. Close was very sweetly [illegible]g, the voices blending most perfectly ; and then [illegible]owed Sullivan's "Lost Chord," sung by Miss La[illegible]uche, who appeared in public for the first time [illegible] and of course had some nervousness to overcom[illegible] Many of her notes are rich and full, and it is co[illegible]dently prophesied that she will win the plaudits of [illegible]ture audiences. The magnificent string quartette [illegible] Haydn, performed by Miss Stewart, Mr. M[illegible] Mackenzie, Herr Zimmer, and Dr. Close, w[illegible] beautifully rendered. Miss Stewart has delight[illegible] Poona audiences several times before, and she w[illegible] in worthy company. The Italian song, the la[illegible] of the programme, sung by Mrs. Kingscote, showe[illegible] great compass and flexibility of voice, and m[illegible] with very hearty applause. The encore was kindl[illegible] responded to, the lady singing an Italian song [illegible] of elaborate flourishes. It would be well if [illegible]te concert of this kind the words of the songs w[illegible] printed and sold. It is perfect music set [illegible] noble words that is intensely enjoyable, [illegible]e unless the words are understood the voi[illegible] becomes a mere musical instrument. Clearne[illegible] of perception and earnestness of feeling ful[illegible] expressed deserve greater applause than mel[illegible] range and flexibility of voice. The music shoul[illegible] illustrate the poetry of the words, and give then[illegible] a force obtainable by no other means, and the due expression and elucidation of the words should give way to no possible effects.

On Friday we had a concert of native music. The musical Society Gayan Samaj has been in existence for ten years, and its object is the cultivation of native music both instrumental and vocal. His Excellency the Governor, who patronizes all forms of education, was present and made a sympathetic and happy speech. The members of [illegible] a large number of European ladies and [illegible] and of educated natives, formed [illegible] The first part of the concert [illegible] instrumental music of the [illegible] to the European ear the [illegible] sarangi, and other instruments [illegible] satisfying ; still the melodies produced [illegible] sweet and plaintive, and if harmonized m[illegible] much pleasure even to those who have st[illegible] music of the West. If the airs were har[illegible] the sameness and repetition would to a [illegible] tent disappear. The singing of the boys w[illegible] was strik[illegible] and evidenced their enjoyment of the mus[illegible] secretary[illegible] tic, but the utter absence of modulation [illegible] musical[illegible] ing and even painful. Mr. Chatre, the [illegible] for his [illegible] who gives so much of his leisure to the [illegible] eds the [illegible] training of the boys, deserves great credit [illegible] c, who [illegible] earnest and gratuitous work ; but he ne[illegible] have [illegible] assistance of a European professor of musi[illegible] atize [illegible] would, in concert with native gentlemen who[illegible] nous [illegible] studied the subject, such as Mr. Kunte, systen[illegible] music [illegible] all that is worthy of preservation in indige[illegible] arac[illegible] music. It has been truly said that "the m[illegible] the [illegible] of nations bears the impress of national ch[illegible] these [illegible] ter," and doubtless Hindu melodies to[illegible] d by [illegible] Italian trills are tame." All people are touche[illegible] hers. [illegible] their national airs far more than by any ot[illegible] t be [illegible] Progress, however, in the art of music cannot [illegible] by [illegible] ear. The music needs to be systematized [illegible] written ; the pupils need to be divided into cla[illegible] according to the quality and compass of their voices, and taught the best ways of producing notes, and to modulate the production rather than to shout with all their might. However, the existence and extension of the Gayan Samaj prove that natives are beginning to feel the need of some influence on the side of enthusiasm, of earnestness in work and sincerity of purpose—something which will tend to break down the make-believes of social pastime. Music is no mere toy ; it is the expression of a part of our nature as important as the reasoning faculties. Mere noise and flourish cannot constitute real music, and it is to be hoped that some course will be adopted which will lead to the preservation of all that is worthy in native music, and of that only.

The Poona High School for Native Girls was opened on the auspicious native festival—Dussera—by His Excellency, and marks a great advance in native civilization. The contributions towards the establishment of the school amount to nearly a lakh of rupees. The hope among Europeans and the more advanced natives is, that in the course of a few years Hindu girls will be allowed their guidance, study, and enjoyment, and preparation for the more serious portion of life. At present a girl's school-going years end at 12, when of course her education is just beginning. Much wonder has been expressed at the choice of the superintendent of the new school—Miss Hurford—a lady connected with the sisters of St. Mary's Home. As Miss Hurford knows Marathi and has had much experience of native life, and has won the hearts of many native families by her amiability and kindly work among them, it would be remarkable if they had not asked Government to appoint her. Any superintendent selected in England would have been a Christian : so why should the appointment of a Christian here excite any astonishment ?

RAILWAY BRANCH P. W. D.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to us as follows :—"Mr. H. LaTouche, M. I. C. E., Engineer-in-Chief, Jhansi-Manickpur Railway, has been summoned to Simla to afford information on certain points connected with this line, previous, it is said, to handing it over to a company. Messrs. E. Tuck, F. C. H. and A.M.I.C.E., and W. Johns, Assistant Engineers on this line, will be transferred to Quetta ; and all others are still awaiting orders. The fact is, that Government is at a loss to know what to do with the large staff of engineers and subordinates on the Railway Branch, who will have to be provided for, since companies are wanted to construct the railways. The services of the thirty temporary engineers appointed last year to railway works will have to be dispensed with, to make room for the permanent establishment. In fact, some have already received notice on the Madras side that they will be no longer required after a certain date. At present the staff on the railways under the Government of India, exclusive of the direction, comprises 5 chief, 19 superintending, 130 executive, and 133 assistant engineers, besides 134 upper subordinates. It is a question requiring serious consideration as to how to afford them employment, unless the majority are transferred to the Road and Building Branch—a step which is rather improbable. The only alternative left is to throw open a second retiring scheme ; for the Government of India will probably refuse to give the companies any more help, as was done in a few instances lately. No doubt the Director-General of Railways will have to make certain concessions eventually. At present I know for a fact he is against any of his subordinates getting furlough and joining companies. There are at present on loan one superintending and two executive engineers with the S. M. R. Company, one executive engineer at Mysore, and one lent for the Hyderabad-Chanda Railway. It remains to be seen what will be done as soon as a few more State lines are completed and open for traffic.

LAST DAY OF THE POLO TOURNAMENT.

C. I. HORSE *V.* POONA.

THE final game of the Tournament, between the C. I. Horse and the Poona team, on Monday evening, ended in favour of the C. I. Horse by 3 goals to none, and was a well-contested one throughout ; and it speaks volumes for the energy of the Poona men that a scratch team such as they were, with fewer ponies than their opponents, made so good a fight of it. Three of their ponies, moreover, were unplayable after Saturday's severe exertions, amongst them being Dr. Stewarts's bay, on which he played forty minutes. We should mention that Capt. Masters, too, on the other side, was deprived of the use of his best mount—the sprightly grey which did such good service for Major Neill last year. Both Stewart and Custance again played up, and hit well ; and Burness also was conspicuous on several occasions.

The players were :—

C. I. HORSE.	POONA.
Capt. A. Masters (Capt.)	Dr. A. K. Stewart, Poona Horse (Capt.)
Mr. H. Hughes-Buller.	Mr. Wickham, 28th N. I.
Mr. Edwardes.	Mr. Custance. do.
Mr. Watson.	Dr. Burness. do.
Umpires : Capt. Gubbins, Hyderabad C. C.	Mr. Trevor, Mhow.

Shortly after beginning play the Central India Horse threatened the Poona goal, and one or two shots were made at it before Hughes-Buller hit the first goal for them after about three minutes play. This early victory encouraged Dr. Stewart and his men to play up, but they were again penned, and had to take the ball behind and pay the penalty of allowing a corner hit. Wickham then cleverly steered it away from opposite his own goal, and Stewart carrying it on enabled Poona to return the game into the Central India Horse quarters, where it presently went out. It was slightly forced towards the Central India Horse on being thrown in, and Hughes-Buller replied with a backhander, which Stewart presently met by a steady drive at goal some distance away. The men in maroon, however, were well on the defensive, and soon restored play to the centre of the ground. When time was called they had recorded a hit.

2ND ROUND.—Custance began by assailing the Central India Horse goal, where some backward and forward play was kept up till Watson got the ball out of the scrimmage, and by a fast run carried it beyond the centre of the ground, Hughes Buller continuing it near the Poona goal line. Stewart stopped the run, only, however, to find that his opponents were bent on a persistent attack. Both he and Hughes-Buller, as the respective backs of each side, played splendidly ; but the former's exertions were at last defeated by Hughes-Buller getting a pretty shot at goal, which, fortunately for Poona, missed. The ball, after this, was carried out a bit and then towards the C. I. Horse goal, but at once returned to the Poona goal line. Custance got it down towards touch near the chairs, and he and Stewart failing to carry it on let in Masters, who had a clear field open to the Poona goal ; but the chance was submitted to Watson, whilst he tackled an approaching opponent. Watson took the ball near the Poona goal line, and being hit over it by his opponents they again were penalised. The ball was shortly afterwards brought into play by Custance, who, riding vigorously past the pony enclosure, suddenly parted company with his tat, and Stewart carried the ball on a short way alongside of the touch line. An opening presently admitted of a run for the C. I. Horse goal, but it was not availed of, and the C. I. Horse turning quicker on the ball returned it in front of the Poona goal, where Edwardes got an unsuccessful shot for the flags. The ball on being taken out was soon sent back by the C. I. Horse, and time was called. Wickham's ponies appeared to be quite outpaced.

3RD ROUND commenced by the C. I. Horse's territory being invaded. A little wild play and missing allowed Poona to remain there or thereabouts, until Hughes-Buller successfully repelled the advance by lifting the ball towards the centre of the ground to Watson, who being served well by Masters' tactics was left unhampered with a clear run for goal, of which he fully availed by directing the ball between the posts and scoring the second goal for the C. I. Horse. Game 2 to nil. The hit-off was in Poona's favour slightly, and presently their opponents pressed them back to opposite their own goal twice, when Custance succeeded in freeing his side of danger momentarily by forcing the ball into the middle of play. It was, however, soon returned by Watson getting another clear run and a drive behind again. Custance and Burness then removed the game to the middle again by carrying on Stewart's stroke.

4TH ROUND was begun after a long interval owing to Edwardes having unfortunately succumbed to the effects of the sun, and as he was too prostrated to go on, the C. I. Horse had to resort to their 5th man, Abdul Wahib, whose good horsemanship was generally admired. Hughes began by getting into the Poona backs, and his strokes being diverted near the goal line, Masters dashed in and cut the ball behind. Poona now for a time subjected to the most spirited attacks. Hughes-Buller presently got a very good shot at goal, which was cleverly cut back by Custance, and then again it was returned near the flags, the native getting a favourable opportunity of passing it between them, but he missed, and on the ball being hit out Hughes-Buller immediately drove it back close on to the posts again, but the native once more failed to score. Burness then got away with it, assisted by Custance, and the tables were turned by Poona getting a flying shot at goal. Their adversaries, however, were well on their mettle, and the fifth man, Abdul Wahib, directing the ball out of danger got away with it by an exciting run to the other end of the ground, after which it went over the goal line. Burness followed up the drive out by taking the ball to the opposite end, from which it was promptly returned by the native getting another good gallop into Poona territory, and Watson cut a shot cleverly at goal which only the vigorous riding of Custance turned aside and sent behind.

5TH. ROUND.—Poona continued to be pressed, and a shot again at goal was dexterously saved by Stewart's activity. Burness then got out with the ball towards the centre, when Hughes-Buller by resolute play approached close on the Poona goal, and the native made a third hit for the post[illegible] and once more missed. Again Poona carried [illegible] ball well out, only to have it returned by a r[illegible] Masters' well up to the flags. Hughes-B[illegible] following missed his shot, but the ball [illegible] a moment afterwards sent through by Watson, [illegible] the third goal for the C. I. Horse scored—3 goals [illegible] nil. Poona had the advantage immediately af[illegible] crossing sticks, but Masters soon got a fast gal[illegible] to the Poona posts, when his stroke was diver[illegible] and sent back to his back, who pressing [illegible] got another splendid opportunity, which he lost [illegible] the ball just shaving the flag. Poona again wer[illegible] kept in suspense, being closely assailed, and only a very clever cut by Stewart under his pony's legs saving what looked like another goal. Poona then forced their opponents back a bit, and the ball crossed the touch line as the bell rang.

6TH ROUND.—After the ball had been fore[illegible] behind the Poona goal, the C. I. H[illegible] [illegible]orse quarters were gradually encroached upon, and a straight hit by Burness to the goal was responded to by the C. I. Horse backs carrying it round near their goal, the native effecting a brilliant run to the opposite end again. Here some stubborn play took place, till Hughes was given an opening, and another hard hit at goal proved unsuccessful. The ball, after being brought into play, kept in close proximity to the Poona flags till a hit back by Poona carried it out. Watson returned to the attack with a short run and was repulsed by Stewart, and Burness continued the latter's stroke well to the other end of the ground, Stewart following him up hard and making a very near shot at goal—the ball glancing off one of the posts. The C. I. Horse, however, owing to the activity of their forwards, quickly removed the play into Poona's limits, whence it was immediately returned to the middle of the ground, and as time was rung the game finished near touch, and terminated a well-contested match for the supremacy of the 1884 meeting.

So the Central India Horse, for the third time successively, have won the cup, and their superior system of play and excellent horsemanship fully entitle them to it. To us locally their performances have been useful exhibitions of the value of the modern style of play, and should prove conclusively that no team can aspire to the prize unless its members work as methodically and [illegible]ciably. Masters exemplified on several [illegible] the art of keeping the enemy off, to [illegible] occasions the value of [illegible] for the admit of his side enjoying a clear course [illegible] ball, and as the success of his team is due in a great measure to his unselfish exertions it is unquestionably of as much importance to cultivate this style of play as to attain efficiency in hitting. Hughes-Buller deserves the highest praise for his active generalship as back, and for the unfailing support and encouragement his powerful hitting ensured. Edwardes and Watson, as forwards, played with dash and precision, and worked together with commendable vigour.

The results of the Tournament must be to convince Bombay of the importance of commencing at once to practice the game systematically, having teams under the strict control of captains, and getting ponies fast enough to do the work required. To avoid, as much as possible, anxiety and trouble to the committee and hard-working honorary secretary, the Tournament another year should be held a month or so later, when the elements need not be considered, and by which time a three months' practice in the rains will have done much to perfect play. It would appear advisable to elect the representative team or teams, from constant, regular players, at least three months, instead of three weeks, before the Tournament, in order not only to ensure efficiency, but to give time to train any new ponies that may be bought.

THE FACTORY COMMISSION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee Jeejeebhoy must not suppose that because he has a seat on the Factory Commission, his "misquotations and misrepresentations" will pass unchallenged by those members of the native press who interest themsel

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

MASSACRE OF COLONEL STEWART AND PARTY.

CAIRO, Oct. 6.

News has been received here that the steamer conveying Colonel Stewart and party from Khartoum has struck on a rock at Wad-el-Homar, after which it rapidly sank. Colonel Stewart had accepted an escort of Bedouin Arabs who, taking advantage of the mishap, fell upon and murdered the whole party.

THE MANDALAY MASSACRES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

RANGOON, Oct. 7.

A requisition to the President of the Municipality for a public meeting to protest against King Theebaw's massacres and misgovernment is being numerously signed by all classes. The Burmese held a crowded meeting yesterday at the honorary magistrate's house, and are taking active interest in the movement.

ANTICIPATING SMALL-POX AT CALCUTTA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Oct. 7.

The Government of Bengal has issued a notice that the special provision for the small-pox patients in the Calcutta hospitals resolved on last spring having been made, it is believed the accommodation now available for all classes of patients, both European and native, is amply sufficient to meet any demands likely to be made on it. The Notification says cheerfully that it is published as there are some grounds for apprehending that the ensuing cold season will be marked by an outbreak of small-pox in Calcutta and the surrounding tracts.

THE EURASIAN AND ANGLO-INDIAN ASSOCIATION.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, Oct. 7.

The fifth anniversary of the Eurasian and Anglo-Indian Association of Southern India, was held in the People's Park at Madras this afternoon. There was a large attendance.

Mr. White, the president, in a long address claimed that the Association had done very much for the community it represents, and had solved the Eurasian problem by proving that Eurasians can do well by taking to the soil of India, as in the case of the Mysore colonies.

GOVERNMENT SERVANTS AND THE OWNERSHIP OF LAND.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, Oct. 7.

The Government of India and the Secretary of State have decided in opposition to the Madras Government that there has been an infringement of the orders of the Secretary of State which forbids the holding of lands in Native States by civil and military servants of Government. The Government of India have called for further and complete information from the Madras Government in regard to the North Travancore Land Planting and Agricultural Society, and also explanation of the possession by Mr. Grigg, Director of Public Instruction, of shares in the Ootacamund Cinchona Planting Association. It has also directed enquiries to be made as to whether the connection of some civil servants with the Peermade Planting Company is an infringement of standing orders.

DEHRA RACES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

DEHRA DOON, SEPT. 7.

Lotteries on to-day's racing exceed those on the first day. Sport was very good, the weather and attendance being all that could be desired.

TRADES PLATE.—1¼ miles.

Brian Boru, 9st. 7lb	1
Little Dick, 10st. 7lb	2
Rejected, 9st. 7lb	3

Four ran. Won easily in 2m. 24s.

PONY CHASE.—1½ miles.

Gazette, 10st	1
Heliotrope, 11st	2
Dux, 12st. 7lb	3

Nine ran. Won after a good race by two lengths. Time 3m. 50s.

PONY DERBY.—1 mile.

Yaboo, 7st. 3lb	1
Silver Hair, 8st. 11lb	2
Vanessa, 9st. 2lb	3

Thirteen ran. Yaboo, a rank outsider from Lord William Beresford's stable, won. Time 1m. 26⅘s.

GRAND ANNUAL.—2 miles.

Black Water, 12st. 4lb	1
At Last, 12st. 4lb	2
Hector, 12st. 4lb	3

Six ran, of whom Lohengrin broke down and Tim Whittier fell. Won after a good race in 3m. 52s.

ST. LEGER.—Round course.

Zephyr, 8st. 10lb	1
Caspian, 9st 13lb	2
Paragraph, 9st. 12lb	3

Six ran. Won in a canter. Time 3m. 4s.

DERBY.—Round the course.

Avenger, 10st	1
Pretender, 8st. 7lb	2
Chloe, 8st. 11lb	3

Nine ran. A good race. Time 2m. 11s.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

OCCUPATION OF TAMSUI.

AMOY, Oct. 6.

Admiral Lespes has occupied Tamsui.

THE CESAREWITCH.

LONDON, Oct. 7.

The following is the result of the race for the Cesarewitch :—

St. Gatien	1
Polemic	2
Archilus	3

THE CHOLERA IN EUROPE.

LONDON, Oct. 7.

Latest advices state that the cholera is decreasing throughout Italy.

In Spain it has entirely disappeared.

THE INCOMING MAILS.

ADEN, Oct. 7.

The P. and O. Co.'s s.s. Rosetta with the English mails of 28th ultimo, left here yesterday at Bombay at noon to-day.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

PLYMOUTH, Oct. 6.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Peshawur arrived here this afternoon.

LISBON, Oct. 6.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Rosa, outward bound for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here yesterday evening.

COLOMBO, Oct. 7.

The mail-steamer Malwa, from Bombay, arrived.

LONDON, Oct. 6.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed firm. Surats steady.

The London Cotton market has been quiet.

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The Manchester market has been steady.

4 per cent. Rupee Paper	80⅝
4½ ,,	85⅝
3 ,, Consols for account	101
3½ ,, Sterling Loan	107¼
4½ ,, French Rentes	109
Bar Silver	50⅞

Arrivals.—Japanese and Viotoria.

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

(OCTOBER COMMUNICATION.

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect.

RUSSIA AND KURRUM.—*Via* Odessa, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect. *Via* Teheran, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, interrupted. *Via* Amoor, perfect. Haiphong to Hongkong line interrupted.

Mandalay interrupted.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

MONDAY NIGHT	10 p.m.	October 6. 79·3
TUESDAY	6 a.m.	October 7. 76·7
	10 a.m.	84·1
	2 p.m.	89·4
	4 p.m.	85·7

We hear from Ahmadabad that the sum of Rs. 30 has been subscribed to the Dulputram Memorial Fund.

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CAPTAIN ROUTH, Brigade-Major at Rawal Pindi, has made several excursions lately to the low hills not far from Baracow, with a view to finding additional places for summer camps. He reports that there are several suitable places with large villages, plenty of water, and abundant spaces for camps. The distance from Pindi is about 20 miles; so that, if necessary, the troops could do it in one march. The height is nearly 5,000 feet, or a good deal higher than Cherat. The only difficulty is that it is in the Hazara district, so that there would be some little difficulty about civil cases. They would have to be sent right round to Abbottabad, instead of to Pindi.

RAI HUKM CHAND, M.A., Extra Assistant Commissioner, Punjab, has been permitted to tender his resignation. It is stated to be the Rai's intention to proceed at an early date to England, and there qualify as a barrister, with a view to practising at some future time in India. He has recently, during his leisure moments, been engaged in preparing for the press a work, intituled "A Study of Criminal Law," which will be a comparative digest of the various codes of different countries from the earliest ages down to the present day.

FROM ten o'clock on Tuesday evening to six on Thursday morning Simla was in a state of isolation, communication with the plains, except by telegram, being broken. It was impossible to cross the Guggur river. Mails, passengers, parcels, and several sungrams with soldiers, were delayed on both sides. An angry correspondent of the Lahore paper, who waited over thirty hours for the falling of the waters, cheering himself with hard-boiled eggs and chuppatty—there was nothing else to be got—is very severe in his strictures on the Postal Department. An energetic and obliging baboo, Gobornundas, came down from Kalka, and did all he could to make matters pleasant. "But," the correspondent says, "there ought to have been a bridge over the Guggur, and a railway: or in the absence of these alleviations, at any rate an elephant and some European official having authority." It seems that, with an elephant, there would have been no delay at all, or very little; but although a telegram was sent to Major Shakespear, of the Transport, early on Wednesday, the Transport was unequal to the strain, and no elephant turned up till 9 a.m. on Thursday.

THE London *Athenæum* has an extremely favourable review of the "Baroda" volume of the Bombay Presidency Gazetteer. The writer says:—"When we reflect on the general lack of statistical information about the native States of India and the rather discreditable fact that in the Government *Imperial Gazetteer of India*, published two or three years ago, it should have been found impossible to do better than insert, *ipsissimis verbis*, Thornton's descriptions of some of the native States published five-and-twenty years before, we feel tempted to turn to this book of Mr. Elliot's and to ask why similar information cannot be provided for Hyderabad, Nepaul, Scindia's dominions, and other large and important parts of British India." So far as Hyderabad is concerned, it may be stated that an important contribution to the compilation of a *Gazetteer* has been provided in the *Gazetteer* of the Aurangabad District which Mr. E. S. Lynn has recently completed, under the auspices of the Nizam's Government.

THE papers have announced that the new Earl of Lauderdale is Captain Maitland, who is serving with his regiment in India. Be this as it may, remarks *Truth*, the style and titles of the late Earl of Lauderdale have been assumed by Sir J. R. Gibson-Maitland, of Sauchie. In all probability there will be some work for the Committee of Privileges in connection with this Peerage, and also for the law courts, as the estates are in strict settlement under an old Scotch entail.

THE *Spectator* stands almost alone among the English press at home in the view it takes of the discussion raised by the writer in *Vanity Fair* on the subject of native armies. It says:—"For the second time within five years the *Times* has been wasting much space, energy, and knowledge in an effort to induce the Government to compel the Princes of India to dismiss their armies. They maintain, it states, in the aggregate 349,000 soldiers, who impose a heavy tax on the people, are not required for defence, and endanger British ascendancy. There is little foundation for our contemporary's apprehensions. Here and there a native State may be wasting too much money on its soldiery; but in the main the armies are a benefit to the British Government for three reasons. First, they strengthen the native Princes who, as the experience of 1857 showed, act as huge boulders breaking the wave of any popular emotion. Secondly, they draw out of our territories the native soldiers of fortune, whom we cannot employ, and who might become very dangerous. Thirdly, they encourage any Prince who wants to expel us, to fight us on regular battle-fields, on which his army can be destroyed in a week, instead of buying our own soldiery, or exciting a popular insurrection which we should never subdue. Moreover, the native States being still in the feudal stage, the Princes must have guards to keep their Barons down, and their number does not signify at all. The Prince, if he has only 2,000 men, can always do what Holkar is doing, and change them every year till his whole population has passed through the military mill. There is not a Native Army in all India with a fifth of the fighting power at the command of Hyder Ali or Runjeet Singh."

IT will not do to believe everything that you read in the shape of "Conversations with Eminent Men." A case in point occurs in the recently issued second series of "Leaves from the Diary of Henry Greville," wherein the writer tells of having met Mr. Delane, the great editor of the *Times*, at dinner. "He told me," writes Mr. Greville, 'that after hearing Gladstone's budget statement to-night, he should write his article without even referring to the notes of his reporters." Now, if everybody had not known already that Mr. Delane, editor of the *Times* though he was, never wrote a leader in his life, there was the warrant of the *Times* itself for saying so. In the memoir of Mr. Delane which the leading journal published on the day after his death, it was expressly stated that he never was a writer, he never attempted anything in the journalistic line, and that there was never any need for him to do so. So much for the Greville Diary, as a record of dinner-table conversation.

PROFESSOR SCHWEINFURTH, the well-known African traveller, in speaking to his friends about the acquisitions on the West African coast, is said to have expressed his regret that England has anticipated Germany in annexing the mouths of the Niger. He is of opinion that the territory round the mouths of the largest river in West Africa is the most important and promising on the whole coast, and that Germany ought not to have let it escape her. Evidently, he says, it was not till Dr. Nachtigal had appeared on the Gold Coast and in Cameroons that the English Government resolved to annex the Niger, for it was only in the beginning of August that the annexation was carried out by the Governor of Cape Coast Castle, or rather at his command. Only the right bank of the river, however, seems as yet to have passed into the hands of England, and the left bank between the river and the Cameroon Mountains might perhaps still by swift action be got for Germany.

"MAJOR" DOWDLE represented "General" Booth in the Sunderland Police-court the other day to show cause why he should not pay £5 8s. 4d. poor rate for the army barracks. The place, he argued, was only used for "religious" purposes—including a brisk trade in the *War Cry*—but the persecuting magistrates refused to see that the newspaper trade is a form of religion. One cannot help wishing that "General" Booth would now imitate the zeal of his followers and go to gaol like a martyr. Base is the Salvationist who pays.

FOUR deaths from cholera on board Le Resolu, a vessel which has arrived at Marseilles from Martinique, would seem to show that, whatever may be the cause of cholera, it can be contracted by breathing the air of an infected neighbourhood alone, for Le Resolu had touched nowhere where cholera is known to have existed, and had had no contact with the land at Marseilles.

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

SIMLA, Oct. 7.—The barometric changes continue slight and irregular over the greater part of the N.-W. P., Rajputana, the central parts of the country, Bengal, and Assam. The pressure has increased, while in the Punjab, the Peninsula, and Burma it has decreased slowly. Readings continue very uniform, though they are rather higher in the Dekkan and lower in the Gangetic valley than elsewhere. The wind has backed to west northwest on the west coast. It has changed little elsewhere. The temperature changes are slight and irregular, but the air is becoming distinctly drier in all provinces. Slight showers have fallen in the Dekkan, Mysore, and South Madras, as well as at Lahore Bhaugulpore, in Assam, and at some stations in Burma. Elsewhere there is no rain reported. The sky, except at a few stations in Bengal and the extreme south of the peninsula, is free, or nearly so, of cloud. Rain to-day:—Bhaugulpore and Salem, 1 inch; Silchar and Gooty, ½ inch. Previously, unimportant.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Municipal Elections, 9 a.m.
Town Council, 3 p.m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived yesterday:—Eden Hall (s), from Liverpool; Bhownuggur (s), Bhownuggur; and Inchboyne (s), Newport.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday:—Dan Orlvie (s), for London; Ascalon (s), Amherst.

POSTAL NOTICE.—Mails for Kurrachee per H. M.'s I. M. ship Clive will be closed at the General Post Office to-morrow (Thursday), at 4 p.m.

FORT GRATUITOUS DISPENSARY.—The total number of patients treated in this dispensary in September was 5,059, the daily average being 168, and the new admissions 1,110. The total number of children treated was 1,768. The number of persons vaccinated was 53.

SUNKEESET CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—The total attendance of patients treated in this dispensary during the last month was 2,193. Of these 791 were new admissions, consisting of 326 Hindus, 315 Musalmans, 50 Parsees, and 40 Christians. The average daily attendance was 70·63.

CRIMINAL BREACH OF TRUST.—Ebram Adamjee, residing at Phool Gully, reported to the police that a servant of his named Ismailjee Ebrahimjee absconded on Sunday with ornaments, valued at Rs. 200, belonging to him. The accused is supposed to have gone to his native country, Rampore.

MANOCKJEE NUSSERWANJEE PETIT'S CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—The daily average attendance of patients at the above dispensary last month was 161 as against 177 in the previous month. The new cases admitted to the dispensary, which had been 4,063 in the previous month, fell to 969 last month. The cases of intermittent and remittent fevers nearly corresponded with the number returned in the previous month. A few cases of dysentery and whooping-cough were treated.

LOST OVERBOARD.—Mr. Hains, the chief officer of the s.s. Henry Bolkow, reported to the Water Police on Monday evening that an old Mahomedan, name unknown, a passenger from Bussorah to Bombay, was missing on the morning of the 26th ult. It was supposed the man had fallen overboard during night or morning, and was drowned. The man's effects on board the ship were handed over to the police authorities, and will be forwarded to the office of the Commissioner of Police, Byculla, in due course.

ALLEGED ASSAULT IN A TRAM-CAR.—Mr. Jehangeer M. Chichgar appeared yesterday before Mr. P. Ryan and obtained a summons against Mr. R. B. Brancer, the proprietor of the Waverley Hotel, on a charge of assault, alleged to have been committed on complainant while travelling in a tramcar as a passenger. It was stated that the complainant warned defendant to keep off a dog which he had with him in the car, but as he refused, an altercation ensued, and defendant inflicted a blow with his clenched fist on complainant's face. The summons was made returnable on the 16th instant.

SUICIDE OF A PARSEE GIRL.—A coroner's inquest was held yesterday at Police Court-lane, Fort, on the body of Dhunbai, a Parsee girl aged 15 years. Deceased was the daughter of Hormusji Rustomjee, a clerk in the employ of Messrs. Wallace and Co. She had been suffering occasionally from hysterical fits. Dr. Sandry who had been called on one occasion to attend her, found that the fit which passed off; but during the absence of her parents from home she swallowed a small quantity of arsenic powder which had been left in an earthen vessel and was used for destroying rats. On her parents' return they found her ill, when she informed them that she had taken some of the powder. She was treated by Dr. De Cunha, but died yesterday morning. The verdict was that the deceased had committed suicide.

AN AUDACIOUS THIEF.—Yesterday, at the Fort Police Court, Inspector Framjee charged Bechar Asha, a young man, with the theft of large quantities of tiles. The accused, who is a tile-turner, managed to remove from several houses in the Fort the tiles from off the roofs. His practice was to get upon the roofs, strip off the tiles, and place them in a cart hired for his purposes. If asked by the complainants why he took away the tiles, he would say the landlord had sent him. In this manner he had robbed about sixteen thousand tiles from different houses. On one occasion, however, he tried his plan on a Memon's house, but, giving the same excuse, he found to his cost that the Memon owned the premises. The prisoner pleaded guilty, and admitted two previous convictions. His worship sentenced him to two years' hard labour.

THEFTS.—Lulloo Kallian and Toolaram Keshew were yesterday charged before Mr. J. Ryan, at the Fort Police Court, with theft. Mr. Mahomed Ali prosecuted. The theft was committed in a house in Bhooleshwar which belonged to an old Bania woman. The complainant had locked up the house on the night at 11 o'clock, and before 6 next day, about 2 a.m. she was roused by a noise in her room. On looking in the direction whence the noise proceeded, she saw a man at her cupboard. She raised an alarm, and the thief decamped. This fact was reported to Inspector Gadsey, who found on examining the cupboard that jewellery to the value of Rs. 1,024 had been stolen. On making further search some of the jewellery was found on the staircase. Receiving certain information, the inspector went to a house in Phool-gully, where he arrested the prisoners, who produced the rest of the ornaments. The prisoners pleaded guilty, and his worship sentenced the first to six months' and the second to twelve months' rigorous imprisonment.

ROBBING A FRIEND.—Edward Burke, a ticket collector in the G. I. P. Railway, stationed at Callian, was yesterday brought before Mr. Ryan, at the Fort Police Court, with criminal breach of trust in respect of a gold watch, the property of a customs officer named Samuel Tran. The complainant met the accused on the 30th last month at Callian, when on his way to Poona. They went to Poona together, and lived at the same hotel. One evening Burke, under the pretence of paying a visit to Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, borrowed a gold watch and chain from Tran for the occasion. He, however, did not return, and on account of his duties in Bombay Tran had to leave. On his arrival at Bombay, Burke telegraphed to him to meet him at a certain place. He did not, however, keep the engagement, and Tran therefore reported the facts to the police. Inspector Raymond arrested the accused next day at a house in Mazagon. The watch was recovered from a Marwaree at Colaba, and the chain from Burke himself. Burke said that having a decree out against him in the Small Cause Court, he had pawned the watch and chain. His worship sentenced him to six weeks' rigorous imprisonment.

CHANGES IN THE BHOWNUGGUR ADMINISTRATION.

THE appointment of Mr. Vittalbhoi, son of the late minister, to the dewanship has given entire satisfaction to the subjects of H. H. the Maharaja. We fully expect that the new minister will do credit to the trust reposed in him. The *Durbar Gazette*, which notifies the appointment of the new dewan, also notifies the dismissal of Harising, the private minister (*Indore Mail*).

THE SKIN.—The Glory of Woman, the Pride of Man.—It contains the delicate lines of beauty, and contains that which we term "loveliness," yet how many thousands have their skins blemished by the use of coloured and impure soaps. The Albion milk and asparagus soap is the purest of all soaps, for its purifying and refreshing action upon the skin is most suitable for hot climates. It removes all skin irritation. Beautifully white. Delicately perfumed. Sold in tablets by all Chemists and Agents for Bombay, Treacher and Co.

THE POONA DEFAMATION SUIT.

THE following retractation of the charges made by the *Poona Observer* against the stewards of the Poona races appeared in the editorial columns of that newspaper on Monday. Whether this apology will be accepted by Major Hogg as sufficient remains to be seen. We understand, however, that the proceedings instituted by Major Hogg against the proprietor and publisher must come before the Presidency Magistrate at the time appointed on Saturday next; and we presume, therefore, that if the apology should be accepted, it will be tendered and accepted in court. As a matter of course, the prosecution cannot be withdrawn without the permission of the magistrate. The article in question runs:—

Regarding the recent unfortunate dispute over the Pony Derby, we have a few additional words to say. In the first place, it appears that we have been entirely misled by our informants regarding the alleged complicity of Major Hogg in the transaction, with which his name has, without doubt, unjustifiably been associated by us. We have now personally investigated the details of the whole case, and we have become convinced that the facts of the case are very different from those stated in our hastily written and ill-considered article, confiding in informants who, as we had every reason to believe, were well acquainted with the facts, and on whose truthfulness and honesty of purpose we thought we might safely rely. We have been deceived and induced to charge honourable officers with misconduct of which they are not guilty. We have great and real pleasure in acknowledging our error, we unreservedly withdraw all imputations made by us against Major Hogg, Colonel Wise, and Captain Humphry, and we desire to express our deep and sincere regret for the pain and annoyance that our article must have caused those officers. We sincerely trust that the last word has been said anent this unfortunate dispute, which, in perfect good-faith, we considered it to be our duty to bring before the public, and that the whole business will now be allowed to be a thing of the past.

THE SIND AND PUNJAB COTTON PRESS COMPANY.

THE annual general meeting of this company was held yesterday, Mr. Vandrawandas Purshotamdas presiding. The following is from the directors' report submitted to the meeting:—

"The directors beg to lay before the shareholders the thirteenth annual report, with the audited balance-sheet and the statement of profit and loss for the year ending 31st August, 1884, showing Rs. 9,072-15-3 as profit for the year under review. The shortness of cotton crop contributed greatly to lessen the profit of the present season in Kurrachee. The number of bales pressed this year by all the press companies, under the joint-agreement, amount to 35,265 bales as against 44,039 bales last year. The directors propose to divide Rs. 80 per share (equal to 9 per cent. per annum on the paid-up capital), which will absorb Rs. 72,000, carrying the balance of Rs. 72-13-3 to next year's account."

Resolutions were passed adopting the report, and re-electing Mr. Goculdas Narondjee a director of the company, a dividend at the rate of Rs. 90 per share, equal to 9 per cent. per annum, was declared. Mr. Ghellabhoy Haridas was appointed auditor for the ensuing year at a remuneration of Rs. 125. The usual vote of thanks to the chairman concluded the proceedings.

DIVINE SERVICE.

TO-DAY.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

SERVICE will be held on board the s.s. City of Venice in the Alexandra Dock, this evening at half past 7 o'clock. Captains, officers, seamen, and others are cordially invited. The Bethel Flag will be hoisted in the afternoon.

HIGH COURT.—OCTOBER 7.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice HART.)

THE following short causes were heard before his lordship:—

NUSSERWANJEE ARDASIR WADIA *vs.* HORMUSJEE BOMONJEE WADIA.

Mr. Vicajee, instructed by Messrs. Little, Smith, Frere, and Nicholson, for the plaintiff, applied for a postponement for four months on the ground that the defendant had died, and it was necessary that some of his representatives should be made parties to the suit. The application was granted.

SHRIKISSONDAS BALKISSONDAS *vs.* DHUNROOPMULL FUTTEMULL.

Mr. Mankar, instructed by Messrs. Chalk and Walker, for the plaintiff, said the suit was brought to recover a balance on money dealings, due from the defendant, for whom there was no appearance. The claim was proved; and his lordship gave a decree for the plaintiff for Rs. 4,224-10, with interest and costs.

BHIMJEE BHANJEE AND ANOTHER *vs.* DUNCAN MACFADYEN.

Mr. Jardine, instructed by Mr. Mooljee, appeared for the plaintiff. There was no appearance for the defendant, Mr. Anderson, on behalf of Mr. Jefferson, solicitor, said he had been served with a summons as solicitor for the defendant, but he (Mr. Jefferson) repudiated that he was his attorney, and wished it to be mentioned in court. Mr. Jardine said he did not ask for a decree against Mr. Anderson, whom the summons was not served in pursuance of an order of the court. It was also advised at the Byculla Club, one of the plaintiffs was called, and stated that he and his partner were salaried officers and mucculdums to the defendant, and made advances of money to him. His lordship gave a decree for the plaintiffs for Rs. 14,838-14-4, with interest and costs.

MAHOMEDALLY LOOKMANJEE AND OTHERS *vs.* AMEERODDIN ABDOOLALLY AND OTHERS.

Mr. Sergeant Atkinson, instructed by Messrs. Nanu and Hormusjee, for the plaintiffs, said the summons had been served through the court at Ahmedabad. The claim was for Rs. 9,819, the balance due on an adjusted account, with interest. The claim was proved; and his lordship gave a decree for the plaintiffs for Rs. 10,321, with further interest and costs.

MUNSOOKHDAS MAGNIRAM *vs.* BAI SUFRA.

Mr. Jardine, instructed by Mr. Bicknell, for the plaintiff, said the summons had been served through the court at Hoshungabad. Ramsookhdas Newalmal, the husband of the defendant, was also served, but a representative, drew upon the plaintiff two hoondies for Rs. 2,500 each, on the 2nd April, 1883, payable sixty days after sight. Ramsookhdas died on the 7th July, 1884, and the suit was brought against his widow to recover the amount due for the hoondies. The court gave a decree for the plaintiff for Rs. 5,010-14, with interest and costs.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice PINHEY.)

CHARLES DOUGLAS AND OTHERS *vs.* SEWJEE DHURUMSEY.

Mr. Jardine, instructed by Mr. Mooljee, appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Inverarity, instructed by Messrs. Bomonjee and Hormusjee, for the defendants. The suit was brought to recover the balance due on a consignment of rapeseed to Liverpool, made by the defendant through the plaintiff.

Mr. Inverarity said that the plaintiffs, instead of selling the rapeseed within four days after the arrival at Liverpool, as was the custom, kept it for three months, and then sold it after the prices had gone down. It was necessary, therefore, to issue a commission to Liverpool to ascertain what the value was at the time the consignment was received there.

Mr. Jardine said it would be satisfactory to the parties if the case was allowed to stand over till after the vacation, the defendant in the meantime applying in chambers for the issue of a commission.

The case was accordingly postponed until after the vacation.

WILLIAM WATSON AND OTHERS *vs.* MAJOR JOHN A. ROWLANDSON.

Mr. Kirkpatrick, instructed by Mr. Winter, appeared for the plaintiff. There was no appearance for the defendant, a Major in the 7th Regiment N. I., Bombay. The plaintiff, an agent and banker of Apollo-street, had for some time acted as agent for the defendant. The latter presented a bill of exchange, which the plaintiff accepted, and paid him Rs. 2,500 upon it on the 19th March, 1882. The suit was brought to recover the amount, with interest and charges. A decree was given for the plaintiff for Rs. 3,722-11, with further interest and costs.

VULLIBHOY MOOSAJEE AND OTHERS *vs.* AMEERODDIN ABDOOLALLY AND OTHERS.

Mr. Jardine, instructed by Mr. Pestonjee Kawasjee, for the plaintiff, said the summons had been served on the defendants through the court at Ahmedabad. The plaintiffs were timber merchants in Bombay, and the defendants used to purchase from them timber of different sizes and qualities. The timber was sometimes sent to Ahmedabad, and the defendants used to make payments by hoondies. There was now due to plaintiffs in respect of the transactions a sum of Rs. 4,706-14-5. The court gave a decree for the plaintiffs for this amount, with interest and costs.

SMALL CAUSES COURT.—OCTOBER 7.

(Before Mr. HORMUSJEE DADABHOY, Acting Fourth Judge.)

DISPUTED DOCTOR'S FEES.

DR. HEERAJEE JEHANGEER *vs.* HAJEE HUBIB AHMED.

THIS was an action brought against the defendant for Rs. 110, being the amount alleged to be due to plaintiff for professional visits to defendant's wife and medicines supplied, whilst she was suffering from an abscess in the hand.

Mr. Dhasserwanjee Nowrozjee appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Eduljee Cowasjee for the defendant.

The plaintiff's case was that he was called in to treat defendant's wife, and it had been agreed that he should receive Rs. 5 for each visit, and Rs. 25 in addition for any operation that might be required. The defence was that the plaintiff was to be paid Rs. 2 per visit, that no extra charges were to be made, that the plaintiff treated the defendant's wife for 30 days, and defendant not finding her any better asked plaintiff to discontinue his visits. It was further contended on behalf of the defendant that the plaintiff's bill was an exorbitant one, that Rs. 2 per visit was a fair remuneration, and for that amount medical graduates of tried experience and ability were paying visits. As regards the bill for medicines supplied, it was contended that the defendant's wife was too much medicated, and that one day there were items charged in the bill for medicines, &c., consisting of powders, pills, mixtures, liniment, and lint.

The plaintiff in cross-examination admitted that he had frequently charged and accepted Re. 1 per visit on certain occasions.

His honour remarked that plaintiff had not proved the special agreement relied upon by him to get Rs. 5 per professional visit, and allowed Rs. 2 per visit, which is a fair remuneration. The court allowed Rs. 20 for the operation, and also the charges for over-crowded. medicine, and passed a decree for the plaintiff for Rs. 63 only.

THE FACTORY COMMISSION.

MR. DINSHAW MANOCKJEE PETIT, the agent and part proprietor of six spinning and weaving mills in Bombay, gave the following evidence before the Factory Commission on Monday last:—

GENERAL QUESTIONS.

Have you had any experience in other mills in India or England? What do you consider has been the effect of the Factory Act, 1881, and has it answered the purpose for which it was passed? Have the operatives derived any benefit from the Act? If they have, state how? Have employers or industries been injuriously affected by the restrictions imposed by the Act? If they have, state how?—Up to now I have not found any effect either bad or good.

Do you consider that the law requires amendment, or the imposing of further restrictions, for its effective working?—Do you think the Act inadequate? And if so, state in what respect?—No. I think that there is no necessity of any Act, for I have not, up to this time, heard of any case of hardship upon any labourer, and I find them working harmoniously.

Do you consider it would injuriously affect the interests of the mill-owners in British India if the mills situated in native States were left to work without any legislative restrictions?—Yes. If the Act is to be enforced it should be enforced equally everywhere.

Have you noticed the heavy loads carried by the bamboo-coolies at the Prince's Dock? Are these coolies physically deteriorating; and what is your opinion of that class, compared with mill-operatives?—I think that the mill labourers, who all have to do their work in well protected sheds have more easy work than the other classes of works, viz.—(*a*) vegetable and fish sellers coming from long distances, say ten to fifteen miles, have to get up very early, say from 3 to 4 in the morning, in order to arrive at the markets between 6 to 7 o'clock, and after selling their stock in the markets they have to return to their places in a burning sun at about 10 to 11 o'clock barefooted, and then again they employ themselves in collecting their stock for next day, and so on, from day to day without any intermission. (*b.*) The bamboo coolies and Nowgannies are considerably more hardworked than the mill labourers. They have to work in the open sun carrying heavy loads and perspiring from top to toe. (*c*) Labourers employed in building works, men and women, have to ascend the scaffoldings under a burning sun with basket loads of bricks and chunam on their heads, running the risk if they fall of losing their lives or becoming disabled by injuring their limbs. (*d.*) Labourers, men or women, employed in building works in the docks and at the Municipal drains and in excavating hills and in blasting stones and such other works, have more hard work than the mill labourers, as they have to work under a burning sun and sometimes in the rains. (*e*). Cultivators and field labourers—men, women and children—are working in the hot weather in the open fields, exposed to the sun from sunrise to sunset for digging the fields, preparing them for cultivation, and during the monsoons, no matter how heavy the rains may be, they have to work for sowing the seeds in knee-deep water. (*f.*) Clerks and bill collectors in the employ of native cloth merchants and shroffs, who are more intelligent than the labourers, have to go about during daytime to the merchants for taking deliveries from godowns, paying moneys, &c., then they are engaged in selling their goods up to six in the evening in crowded shops. After that and up to 12 at midnight they are engaged in receiving and paying money and in making up their accounts for the day. (*g*) Petty shopkeepers open their shops early in the morning, keeping them so till about 10 o'clock at night. Their position is such no interference should be made with the pleasure of any man. Every man must be left free, as he has the right to do to work as he pleases, for he himself can know much better than anyone else how best to protect his own interest and health. There ought to be no control exercised over him in the matter, unless there are complaints of any hardship or compulsion practised upon him by his employers. The works done by different classes of people depend entirely upon their habits and their ways of living, and being accustomed to the work from their very infancy they feel nothing. The mill labourers are at liberty to work or leave the service if they like, and they are not bound over for any fixed period. At Matheran and Mahableshwar and other places, I have noticed that hundreds of poor people who make their livelihood by selling various kinds of wood and other articles have to bring them from a distance of ten to fifteen miles. They come from the jungles and valleys where the temperature is very hot, to the hills where the temperature is very cool, and though there is this sudden change with them of the temperature, it has no effect upon them, because they are habituated to the work from their very infancy. By reducing the time of the labourers, their income will be proportionately reduced, and thus by getting less money they will use less food and clothing for themselves and their children. I may mention that the labourers themselves are averse to short hours. In my mills, some time ago, when the working hours were reduced, being worked at a loss, we reduced that department to short hours. The consequence was that most of the labourers of that department left our mills in order to employ themselves in the other mills where they could get work for more hours, and we had considerable difficulty in inducing the remaining ones not to leave our mills, and when the loomshed was begun to work again for full time we had some difficulty in securing good hands, and were obliged to train up new ones. Some of the workmen in the loom departments I hear, after going from the mills, engage themselves in their own houses as weavers and mucculdums to whom I have lately built houses opposite to the sea shore. I wanted to have some sand spread on the road. It was brought in the open sun from the sea shore about a mile distant from my house by the poor people—men, women, and children—barefooted at piece work, in baskets weighing 1 to 1½ maund at the rate of one pie per basket. In the whole day they earned about 2 to 3 annas or 2¼ to 3½ pies. The distance worked by them in coming and going was 2 to 3 miles per day. The children's basket was half the size, and they were paid ½ pie per basket, and the men and children were half naked. They all appeared to feel nothing. I may also mention that I had, during the fishing time, sometimes in the morning, sometimes at noon and evening, noticed the fishing party passing my house in groups each of three or four women, two or three grown-up children, and one man. They were half clad and semi-nude. Sometimes they returned without any fish, and sometimes they earned two or three annas per head. I have given these instances to show that every class of people must be allowed to work according to their habits. If the hours be reduced the labourers' wages will also be reduced, and it will then be required to fix the rate of wages. If a bargain is made between two parties, one offering to pay the other so much for so much work how can any interference in the matter? If interference is to be made with the mill labourers then similar interference ought to be made with every class of people and every trade.

Have you noticed any over-crowding in any of the mills? And if so, is it so serious that it should be prevented by means of legislation?—I have not noticed any over-crowding. The numbers of hands are only those who are absolutely necessary for working the machines, and the rooms are never over-crowded.

Do you consider that the sanitary arrangements are defective with respect to latrine accommodation, white-washing, over-crowding, ventilation, dust and fluff in the carding and blowing rooms, temperature, sizing, within mill and not in separate shed or house, light?—The question can be answered by any mill manager.

Do you think periodical limewashing and painting of mills necessary; and if so, how often?—In my mills limewashing is done every 12 to 18 months.

Do you think, if the inspector considers a fan necessary in the grinding-room of a cotton mill, or in particular instances in other factories should the employers be compelled to introduce one?—Taking the mills in Bombay, are they more or less lofty than English mills, and is the machinery more or less closely placed?—What temperature is necessary for good spinning in England, and what in Bombay?—These questions can be answered by any mill manager.

Are you obliged to use steam in the mills in the cold and wet months? And do they use steam in England, and for what purpose?—I am using steam in my mills in the cold and wet months and the manager can answer whether or not it is used in England.

Is gas-lighting used in Bombay in any of the mills? Is gas-lighting used in England in the mills?—I am not aware of.

Do you think that a mill in which gas is used can be healthy as one in which no artificial light is employed?—I cannot say.

Are you of opinion that there is less ventilation in cot

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SALES BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,
7, MARINE-STREET, BOMBAY.

SALE of landed Property on the Bhendy Bazaar or Parell Road.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 8th instant, at 4 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction on the premises by order of the mortgagee, Borah Abdoolally Heptoola Chitharia, and on account and at the risk of Hari Ambrolia, Krishna Ambrolia, and Cassibai, widow, the heirs and legal representatives of the late Lingayet Amroota Dhondy Sathuai, the mortgagor, in pursuance of the power of sale given in the indenture of mortgage, dated the 29th day of January 1884:—

All that place of Government ground, together with the dwelling-house standing thereon, situate on the west side of Bhendy Bazaar or Parell Road, in the sub-district of the Fort, without the Fort of Bombay, registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under old No. 23 new No. 7,467, old survey No. 1,260, and new survey No. 1572, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment, under No. 77, containing by admeasurement 90 and seventy-nine square yards or thereabouts, and bounded on the east by the said Bhendy Bazaar or Parell Road, on the west by the Parsee Wadi Lane, on the north by the house of Pestonjee Pallonjee, and on the south by the house of Withoba Mancojee.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to the undersigned.

Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed by Mr. Jamsetji Nowroji, cabinet-maker, to sell by Public Auction at his shop, No. 20, Kalbadevi Road, on MONDAY, THURSDAY, the 9th inst., at 1 p.m., his surplus stock-in-trade, consisting of very valuable and handsome french-polished-richly teak-wood and ash black-wood, satin-wood and ebony-wood household furniture, very handsome 5, 8, 8, 12, 20 and 36 lights hanging chandeliers with rich cut shades, pans, and drops, a handsome 9 lights hanging argand lamp by Nash, rich cut and engraved glassware, best plated ware, handsome large size pier glasses in gilt frames, a very richly carved blackwood large-size screen, 2, 4, and 5 light plated and brass candelabra with shades, handsome gilt kerosine-oil hanging vase lamps, plain and coloured globe lamps, real Japanese and China flower vases and jars, &c., &c., the same comprising rich vine leaf pattern glassware, superior dessert services, best plated fruit and cake dishes, tea and coffee service, pickle frame, ice pitcher, table and piano candlesticks, spoons and forks, and richly carved and plain french-polished blackwood, teakwood, satin-wood and ebony-wood furniture, rich conversation hall and sofa couches, lined silk damask and satin, drawing-room easy, low and pouffoe chairs, lined silk damask, satin and velvet, ottomans round oval and oblong table and round teapoys, with marble tops, very handsome large-size chiffoneers, with mirror glasses, handsome writing tables with morocco tops, large size pier glasses in gilt frames, handsome wash-hand and dressing table with dressing glasses, Madras pattern arm and without-arm chairs, large size sideboards with mirror glasses, lady's writing tables richly carved blackwood screens, pier tables with pier glasses attached, American bentwood rocking and children's high chairs, carved, tripod stands and teapoys, handsome wall brackets with mirror glasses, reclining chairs with cretonne cushions, drawing-room chairs with velvet and silk cushions, English perambulators, handsome 6, 8, 10, 12, and 36 light hanging chandeliers, 1, 2, 3, 6 light wall brackets with shades, 9 light hanging argand lamp, also single light argand lamps blue, pink and gilt kerosine-oil hanging vase lamps, white and coloured globe lamps, flower size panorama balls, smoke-proof bronze wall lamps, kerosine oil hanging and table lamps, real Chinese and Japanese flower vases and jars, Japan card plates, &c.

Catalogues are ready and the property is on view.

SALE OF BOILERS.

On SATURDAY next, the 11th instant, at 4 p. m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Middle Colaba on the Port Trust ground opposite the Victoria Bunder.

3 double flue boilers, by Galloway & Sons 22 by 6 with Galloway tubes and fittings each weighing about 14 tons.

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required at the time of sale and the boilers are now on view.

On FRIDAY, the 10th, and MONDAY, the 13th instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m. each day, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at No. 18, Exchange Hall, Apollo-street, opposite Shaw's Bazaar, several newly arrived consignments of English and Continental goods, consisting of perfumery and soaps, two handsomely painted flower pots, superior portraits, dessert, toilet and tea services, superior China cups and saucers, tea services, breakfast services, cheese stands, cruet and egg stands, sardine and biscuit boxes, hall lamps, scent bottles, Bohemian glassware, firstrate oleographs in gilt frames, tea trays, Brussels and velvet carpet rugs, tin toys, fancy goods, kerosine oil lamps of sizes, table and hanging lamps, electro-plated table goods star and fern pattern and other goods too numerous to mention.

On SATURDAY, the 11th October, and the following days, sale commencing at 1 p.m. each day, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Byculla, opposite Messrs. Richardson and Cruddas' Metal Mart, the valuable stock-in-trade of Mr. Somjee Parpia, consisting of carved and plain french-polished blackwood and teakwood and English-made mahogany and walnutwood household furniture, best electroplated ware by Elkington and others, rich and handsome dinner, dessert and breakfast services, rich cut glassware of various patterns, very handsome 8, 8, 10, 12 and 18 light chandeliers, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 light hanging argand lamps by Tucker and other makers, kerosine-oil hanging and table lamps, 4, 5 and 7 light glass-stem candelabra, 2 and 3 light candelabra, handsome flower vases and pots, rolls of superior Brussels and velvet carpets, handsome pier glasses in gilt frames, English-built carpenter's tools, plated and plain mounted single and double and four-in-hand harness, &c., &c.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

On MONDAY, the 13th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms.

By order of the Administrator General the effects of the late H. E. Astley Esq., consisting of lady's gold watch with chain, gold open faced watch studs and solitaires, copper coins &c.

On MONDAY, the 13th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction in their rooms on account and at the risk of Abdoolally Dawoodkhan—

F T F & Co. Bombay.	61-80—20 cases matches, ex Canara.	
Do.	7-12—6 "	soap, ex Canara.

On account and at the risk of Abdool Tyeb Heptoola—

A T H & Co. Bombay.	2—1 case accordians, 2663—1 "	chinaware.

On TUESDAY, the 14th instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Eddington House, Mazagon, opposite Hamilton's Hotel, the valuable and handsome french-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, best plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, a handsome English-built nearly new boat-shaped cross carriage by Lowell, a handsome grey Arab colt, 3 years old, going fast, very quiet, and a set of English-made plated mounted single harness, rich table ornaments, handsome flower vases, pictures, table and hanging lamps, &c., the property of Captain W. E. HUTCHINSON.

Catalogues will be published, and the property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

SALE OF SUPERIOR TEAK SCANTLINGS.

On WEDNESDAY next, the 15th instant, at 4 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at Tank Bunder by order of Mr. Bhugwandass Bhagia.

Ex s.s. Darlen.

100 tons superior teak scantlings and Battens.

In lots to suit purchasers.

On SATURDAY, the 25th instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Marine Lines, the valuable and handsome french-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, best plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, first-class rosewood cottage pianoforte by Soundy and Co., nearly new, a handsome brass iron four posts bedstead, rich table ornaments, handsome China and Japanese flower vases, superior oil paintings, oleographs and other pictures, gentleman and lady's saddles with bridles by Wilkinson and Kidd, &c., the property of MAJOR STANLEY CARTER.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

On TUESDAY, the 28th inst., sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at No. 17 Middle Colaba, the valuable and handsome french-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, best plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, rich table ornaments, handsome flower vases, lamps, pictures, lady and gentleman's, saddles, &c., the property of the late Captain J. KNOTT.

The property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Breach Candy, on a date which will be hereafter fixed, the valuable and handsome french-polished carved and plain blackwood and teakwood household furniture, best plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, a sweet-toned mahogany semigrand pianoforte by John Broadwood & Sons, a full-sized mahogany slate billiard table by Thurston & Co. with balls, cues, marking board, &c., complete, rich table ornaments, handsome China and Japanese flower vases, superior pictures, carriages, horses, &c., the property of E. Comber, Esq.

Catalogues will be published, and the property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

FOR SALE.

Just landed ex s.s. City of Venice beer, stout, champagne, cider, ginger ale, &c., bottled by the celebrated firm Messrs. Wheeler and Co. of Belfast.

Guinness stout	quart per doz.	Rs.	3-10.
Do.	pints	"	3-10.
Bass ale	quarts	"	3-14.
Do.	pints	"	3-14.
Ginger ale		"	3-14.
Cha champagne cider		"	4-4.
Phosphozon		"	4-0.
Raspberry vinegar cordial		"	11-14.

Apply to the undersigned.

CRAWFORD & CO.

Bombay, 8th October, 1884.

SALES BY AUCTION.

MENESSE AND COMPANY.

AUCTION SALE OF LANDED PROPERTY AT BHUNDAREE-STREET, NULL BAZAR.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 8th instant, at 4 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will sell by Public Auction on the undermentioned premises on account and at the risk of the mortgagors Latifaboo, widow of Shaikally Moozayur bin Fukeermahomed, Shaik Hamainally bin Shaikally Moozayur, and Shaik Ahmedally bin Shaikally Moozayur, the deceased, and by order of the mortgagee, under the power of sales vested to him in an indenture of mortgage dated 17th day of September, 1875, and 22nd day of November, 1878, respectively, the following landed property:—

All that piece or parel of Government land or ground, together with the messuage or dwelling house standing thereon, situate without the Fort of Bombay, in Bhundaree-street, in the sub-district of Bhooleshwur, containing in measurement about 465 square yards, and assessed under Nos. 87 and 88, and bounded on the east by the Bhundaree-street and on the west by the sweeper's passage, on the north by the house of Nacoda Haji Hubbo and on the south by the house of a Gulam Hossain and Herreilshawjh in Shaik Nubee.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the undesigned.

AUCTION SALE OF COALS.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 8th inst, at 4 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will sell by Public Auction at Malet-bunder, by order of Mr. Moosa Valley, the following coals, on account and at the risk of Messrs. Framjee Marwanjee and Co., ex s.s. "Texan."—

About 180 tons Walsend coals.

On account and at the risk of Mr. Dongersey Gopejee, ex s.s. "Texan."

About 100 tons Walsend coals.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 9th instant, Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will hold their usual weekly auction sale at their rooms of a quantity of grey, colored and white piece-goods, twist, &c., &c.

Household furniture of a gentleman consisting of tables, chairs, sideboard, chest of drawers, sofas, ottoman, iron bedstead, dressing glasses, &c., &c.

10 casks rosin grease.
8 cases printed white sarries,
7 " colored nuptilas,
5 " T red twills,
2 " T red bordered shirtings,
5 bales grey shirtings,
5 cases bobbins,
15 " Australian jams and jellies.

On account and at the risk of Somjee Ramjee—
D & Co.—8 R—13 bales dobbie border chooties ex s.s. Suffolk and s.s. City of Edinburgh.
2 " pine border chooties ex s.s. Rydal Hall.

On account and at the risk of Roopjee Jadowjee, Rowjee Chutoorbhooj and Gordhundass Premjee, trading as piece-goods merchants under the name of Roopjee Jadowjee—

J G—774, 767, 768, 770—4 cases Alizarine prints, each 60 pieces, 42-44 yards, ex s.s. Thessaly.

AUCTION SALE OF DAMAGED RAPESEED.

On SATURDAY, the 11th instant, at 3 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by public auction in the godowns of Messrs. Volkart Brothers at Ferro-road, opposite the Prince's Dock, on account of whom it may concern—

90 bags damaged rapeseed.
A small quantity badly damaged rapeseed.

MENESSE & CO.

Bombay, 8th October, 1884.

BENNETT AND COMPANY,
No. 3, APOLLO-STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF COTTON.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 8th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs BENNETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at Colaba, near Kalini Bavri, No. 39 warehouse, by order of Messrs. Triemjee Mooljee & Co., and on account and risk of the Hindoostan S. & W. Co., Ltd—

L. S.—4-311 bales Ujan full-pressed bales cotton.
B. K.—4-300 bales Dea Ujan full-pressed bales cotton.

Surveyed by Messrs. D. H. Glade and W. Legeyt.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 8th, and TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 9th inst., at 1 p.m. each day, Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the "Wilderness," Malabar Hill, next to Mr. Dinshaw Manockjee Petit's bungalow, the valuable and handsome plain and carved blackwood and teakwood french-polished household furniture, best plated ware, very rich crockery and glassware, a handsome mahogany grand square pianoforte by Schiedmayer and Soehne, a first-rate mahogany full-sized slate billiard table by Thurston, with balls, cues, lamps, &c., complete, handsome large pier glasses in gilt frames, bar dessert large marble table, 1, 2, 3, 6, and 12 lights hanging and wall argand lamps, first-rate large oil-paintings, oleographs and chromolithographs, rich Brussels and velvet carpets, rich table ornaments, handsome China and Japanese vases, one handsome strong Calcutta-built buggy in very good order, one strong Calcutta small-bahaun, one handsome strong powerful chesnut Hungarian horse broken to single and double harness, sets of plated mounted English double harness, &c., &c., the property of Nusserwanjee Rustomjee Tata, Esq. The same comprises rich engraved glassware, handsome dinner dessert and tea services, best plated ware such as bottle-warmer curry dishes, vegetable dishes, cruet, pickle and liqueur stands, ice pitcher, silver tea set, breakfast companion, a set of best plated spoons and forks in mahogany case for 12 persons, 12 pair fish and 12 pair dessert knives and forks in case, table, piano and chamber candlesticks, cutlery by Mappin, &c., very handsome and valuable teakwood, blackwood and mahogany household furniture, such as a telescopic dining table in 6 pieces, sideboard with mirror, whatnot, dumb waiter, small chiffonier, Madras and toilet-pattern arm and without-arm chairs, one (specially made) mahogany drawing-room suit, consisting of couches, chairs, ottoman, card and centre oval tables, easy, folding, reclining, long-arm, low, rocking and drawing-room chairs, circular, oval, side, and writing tables, chiffoniers, ornament stands, corner whatnots, teapoys with marble top, a handsome mahogany grand square pianoforte by Schiedmayer and Soehne, a mahogany full-sized slate billiard table by Thurston & Co., a mahogany slate miniature billiard table, rich Persian, velvet, and Brussels carpets, 1, 3, 7 and 12 lights hanging argand lamps, wall argand lamps, a solid marble large-size table, very handsome large-size China and Japanese flower vases, rich table ornaments, marble figures, pillars and flower vases, firstrate oleographs, oil paintings and chromolithographs, handsome brass, iron and teakwood fourpost bedsteads, reclining and half-backed couches, dressing and washing tables with marble top, dressing and cheval glasses, clothes and gown presses, almira with single and double doors, one mahogany almira with side wings, camphorwood chest of drawers and washing table, ebonywood chairs, dispense articles, cooking utensils, &c.

AT 2 P.M.

1 handsome strong Calcutta-built buggy in good order.
1 handsome strong powerful chesnut Hungarian horse, broken to single and double harness.

Sets of double and single harness.

The property of another gentleman—
1 handsome strong powerful grey arab horse.
1 handsome strong flea-bitten grey arab horse.

Catalogues are published and the property is now on view.

On SATURDAY, the 11th instant, at 2-30 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms, a handsome blackwood and teakwood household furniture, such as glasswares, platedware, crockery, dining table in 3 pieces, dumb waiter, whatnot, conversation sofa, chairs, reclining couch, marble top round table on ironstand, writing table, brass and iron bedsteads, clothes presses, almira, carpets, &c., the property of a gentleman proceeded to England.

AT 1-30 p.m.

1 pony dog-cart withhood.
1 handsome strong double seated brougham.
1 strong built mailphaeton.
1 handsome fast trolling grey arab horse.

On MONDAY next, 13th inst, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Cumballa Hill, opposite the Cumballa Family Hotel at a corner, the valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood plain and carved frenchpolished household furniture, best plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, firstrate pictures oleographs, rich table ornaments, handsome China and Japanese vases, a handsome strong victoria in very good order, &c., &c., the property of H. I. CROFT, Esq.

Catalogues will be published and the property on view four days before the sale.

AUCTION SALE of the whole of the stock-in-trade of the Bombay Livery Stable Co., Limited, at Byculla, opposite the Byculla Club.

Under instructions from the Board of Directors, Messrs BENNETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at the above mentioned place, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th inst., at 3 p.m. in one lot—

The whole of the stock-in-trade of the Bombay Livery Stable Co., Limited, consisting of 50 horses and 60 carriages, about 40 sets of single and 14 sets of double harness, complete, also a number of spare collars, traces, reins, bits, &c., &c., surcingle and breaking gear, neck-jumping and other saddles, &c., stall collars, &c., a Mangalore-tiled tenk-built shed, 16ft. by 66ft., with accommodation for 32 horses, with swinging partitions, feeding boxes, mahogon weather-boards, &c., complete, also an iron-roofed shed to accommodate about 20 carriages, and a corrugated iron shed with five loose boxes, also a quantity of spare timber, bamboos and tiles.

A quantity of veterinary instruments and medicines, farriers' tools, forge and bellows, grain-crushing and chaff-cutting machines, harness stands, grain boxes, cleaning boxes, buckets, ghorawalla's kit, &c., office furniture, chairs, Whither's fireproof safe, books, &c. &c.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale and the balance to be paid within one month after the sale.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to the General Manager, Belasis-road, Byculla, or to the undersigned.

The above is now on view.

On SATURDAY, the 18th inst., at 2 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at Colonel Fuller's bungalow, Parel, opposite the B. B. and C. I. Railway Campany's workshops, the valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood french-polished plain and carved household furniture, plated ware, glass and crockery ware, first rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, one single barrel pin fire 12 bore rifle by Cogswill and Harrison, one mahogany grand piano by E. Kaps of Dresden, &c., &c., the property of S. W. ANDERSON, Esq., changing his residence.

The above will be on view 4 days before the sale.

On WEDNESDAY, the 19th instant, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at No. 43, Hornby-row, Fort, the valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood french-polished and carved household furniture, best plated ware, very rich crockery and glassware a handsome rosewood grand square pianoforte by Schiedmayer and Soehne, an aviary with rare birds, oleographs, handsome China and Japanese vases, rich table ornaments, &c., &c., the property of J. F. ROBINSON, Esq.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view four days before the sale.

On a day to be fixed hereafter Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Harkness-road, Malabar Hill, the very valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood french-polished plain and carved household furniture, best electro plated ware, very rich crockery and glassware, a handsome mahogany grand square pianoforte by Ernest Kaps, first rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, handsome China and Japanese vases, a handsome strong light English-built landau suitable for one horse or pair, a handsome strong English-built single seated brougham in very good order, a handsome strong chesnut arab horse quiet to ride and drive, handsome a strong well bred flea-bitten grey arab horse, sets of plated and brass mounted single harness, a large collection of choice and rare, plants in tubs and pots, &c., &c., the property of G. MANSON, Esq.

Catalogues will be published and the property on view four days before the sale.

BENNETT & CO.

Bombay, 8th October, 1884.

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THE "COMPANION" ORGAN, 32 inches high, 27½ inches long, one row of reeds, 3½ octaves.	100
THE "ECONOMY" ORGAN, Mason and Hamlin's, 4 octaves, C to C. 4 stops. Diapason, Viola, Flute, Melodia, and 2 knee swells	225
THE STERLING ORGAN "LA PETITE," the workmanship is first class and the reeds are carefully voiced:—	
STYLE A. Five Octaves, Five Stops—Diapason, Dulciana, Echo, Vox Humana, Dulcet and Knee Swell, ...	300
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THE "ALBION," Elegant design in Solid Black Walnut, Five Octaves, Nine Stops—Principal, Hautboy, Flute, Violina, Diapason, Dulciana, Echo, Dulcet, Vox Humana, and Patent Grand Organ and Knee Swells.	450
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